## **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

## ABSTRACT

Public Services - Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department -Allegations of irregularities in execution of road work from "Vikarabad Dharur Railway station "Vikarabad division Rangareddy district taken up under NABARD Sri K. Vnekateswar Rao former Executive Engineer Panchayat Raj , & I/c Superintend Engineer ,Tribal Welfare Department and Sri T. Laxmaiah, formerly Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vikarabad presently working in Panchayat Raj, Yacharam (M) Ibrahim Patnam, Sub-division Nalgonda district Disciplinary proceedings initiated – under Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules 1991- Appointment of Inquiry Officer and Presenting Officer- Orders -Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

## G.O.Rt.No. 116

Dated: 28.01.2011

Read the following:

- 1.Mem.No.25434/Vig./2007-2 PR & RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt.1.5.2007.
- 2.Mem.No. 25434/Vig./2007-4 PR & RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt.1.5.2007
- 3. Written Statement of Defense of Sri K. Venkateswar Rao Executive Engineer Panchayat Raj now I/c Superintend Engineer ,Tribal Welfare Department.
- 4. Written Statement of Defense of Sri T.Laxmaiah, formerly Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vikarabad presently Panchayat Raj Yacharam (M) Ibrahim Patnam, working in sub-division Nalgonda district.

## ORDER:

In the reference 1st & 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the following charges were framed under Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A)Rules 1991 against Sri K. Venekateswar Rao, formerly Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, & I/c Superintend Engineer, Tribal Welfare Department and Sri T. Laxmaiah, formerly Assistant Enginee, Panchayat Raj, Vikarabad presently working as Assistant Engineer in Panchayat Raj, Yacharam (M) Ibrahim Patnam, Sub-division, Nalgonda district respectively.

CHARGE:-That Sri K. Venkateswar Rao, formerly Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vikarabad presently working as I/c Superintend Engineer, Tribal Welfare Department . while executing the road work from Vikarabad to Dharur Railway Station Vikarabad Divison Ranga Reddy district taken up under NABARD Grant has adopted fraudulent ways in collusion with the contractor in billing and making excess payment for an amount of Rs.56,934/- for the picking of metal charges which was actually carried out in another contract is proved beyond doubt.

That Sri T.Laxmaiah, formerly Assistant Engineer Panchayat Raj Vikarabad and presently working as Assistant Engineer in PR Yacharam(M), Ibrahimpatnam Sub-division, Nalgonda district while executing the road work from Vikarabad to Dharur Railway Station Vikarabad Division Ranga Reddy district taken up under NABARD Grant has adopted fraudulent ways in collusion with the contractor in billing and making excess payment for an amount of Rs.56,934/- for the picking of metal charges which was actually carried out in another contract is proved beyond doubt.

- 2. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> read above the Charged Officers i.e Sri K.Venkateswar Rao, formerly Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vikarabad, presently working as Superintend Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Anantapur district and Sri T.Laxmaiah, formerly Assistant Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vikarabad, presently working as Assistant Engineer in Panchayat Raj, Yacharam(M), Ibrahimpatnam Subdivision, Nalgonda have submitted their written statements of defense.
- 3. After examining the matter, Government have decided to conduct enquiry into the matter under A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991. Accordingly, Government hereby appoint the Engineer in- Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad as Inquiry Officer under Rule 20(2)of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 to conduct Departmental Inquiry against the charged officers on the charges framed. Government also hereby appoint Sri C.V.S Rama Murthy, I/c Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiry Officer.
- 4. The Inquiry Officer is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub rule 18(ii) of the above said rule. The copies of charge Memo issued to the Delinquent Officer and the written statement of defense submitted by the Delinquent Officer are herewith furnished to the Inquiry Officer, as required under Rule 20(7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (CC&A) Rules, 1991. (By Order and in the name of the Governor of Andhra Pradesh)

DR. RAJIV SHARMA PRL SECRETARY TO GOVT. (PR)

To

The Engineer – in –Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad (we) Sri C.V.S Rama Murthy, I/c Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad Individuals <u>though</u> Engineer – in –Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad. <u>Copy to:</u>

The Secretary to VC, APVC, Secretariat, Hyderabad. (w.r.t.Lr.No.7012/VC.G2/2008-4 DT.29.06.2010) SF/SC

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Section Officer